

**1982 to 1992 Agricultural Lands Converted to
Urban Lands, Farmsteads, and Rural Transportation**

National Resources Inventory (NRI) - Oregon Results

Estimated for Non-Federal Lands Only

	Cropland Estimates	Cropland Error	Pastureland Estimates	Pastureland Error	Rangeland Estimates	Rangeland Error	Total Estimates	Total Error
Urban Lands*	38,600	7,200	32,000	7,000	17,000	5,900	87,600	11,600
Farmsteads	6,700	1,000	3,200	800	800	300	10,700	1,200
Rural Transportation	500	300	300**	300	2,100	900	2,900	1,000
Total Acres of Agricultural Lands* Converted	45,800	***	35,500	***	19,900	***	101,200	***

* See Table Details

** Pastureland Estimates - We have chosen to provide the complete Oregon NRI results for all natural resource land cover/use categories, including pastureland, in order to provide a complete "snapshot" of the state. It is important for the data user to recognize that the pastureland conversion estimate has a high standard error (100%) and should be used with caution. This type of result may be useful for grouping estimates into broad categories (such as high, medium, and low), but the numerical estimate itself has low reliability.

*** The estimates for total resource lands converted between 1982 and 1992 were derived by adding the urban land, farmsteads, and rural transportation estimates together. There are no standard error estimates for total converted lands.

NOTE: Total estimates may be adjusted to account for rounding. The error referred to in the table is the standard error of the estimate. You can obtain the margin of error at the 95% confidence limit by multiplying the error by 1.96.